

## ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM MANY STATES

Important News Gathered from Abroad for the Benefit of Our Readers.

Trimbale, Simpson and Nicholas counties all went "dry" Saturday, voting out saloons by large majorities. In each county the election passed off quietly.

Hartford Herald says: With many Kentucky towns and county going "dry" at liquor elections and the biggest corn crop in the history of the State ready to be gathered into the garner, means—well, it seems to mean better and more peaceful time for the State, and more "co'n pone" — bless the product—for the hungry people of the Commonwealth and elsewhere.

Louisville and Nashville passenger train, northbound, ran into an open bridge across Cumberland river at Clarksville, Tenn., at 7:40 o'clock. The engine, baggage and mail coaches went down, carrying with them six men, four of whom were rescued.

Bowling Green Times Journal says: We wonder what the Republican press of Kentucky will do when the Democratic primary is over. They are being kept so busy at present running the primary that they will no doubt feel better when it is over.

Springfield Sun says: Both Louisville and Lexington held great fairs last week. And that proves that Kentucky is big enough to do big things in different sections all at the same time. Mammoth pumpkins are plentiful in Kentucky! bet-cher life! And we may have a dozen State Fairs next year.

Bowling Green, Ky., Sept. 29.—J. C. Sims will go to Georgetown Monday to confer with the Commonwealth's Attorney in regard to fixing the time for the trial of the Caleb Powers case. The case is docketed for the October term, which convenes in Georgetown Monday, but lasts only three weeks. This will not give time enough to try Powers' case and it is thought a special term will be called to try the case.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., Sept. 29.—The large tobacco barn on J. M. Bigstaff's farm, near Springfield, was burned to the ground, with about five thousand pounds of tobacco. The loss will be \$1,500, with no insurance. The fire was caused by efforts to cure tobacco by burning charcoal.

Auburn, Ky., Sept. 26.—Uncle Miles Monday died last night of diseases incident to old age. He was 112 years old and was one of the most highly-respected and loved negroes in this entire community. Just before he breathed his last he uttered these words: "I am ready to meet my Savior." There is no question as to his age.

Owingsville, Ky., Sept. 28.—Mrs. Sallie Darnell, the oldest woman in this section of the State, has just celebrated her ninety-third birthday at her home at Odessa, this county. Over 100 of her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren were present. Mrs. Darnell's children were all present at her table. Their respective ages are as follows: J. B. Darnell, seventy-two; J. W. Darnell, seventy-one; F. L. Darnell, sixty-nine; Mrs. Ruth Jones, sixty-seven; Mrs. Martha Moreland, fifty-eight; Mrs. Millie Giddell, fifty-six; Mrs. Darnell is hale and hearty, reads without spectacles and is in excellent health.

Winchester, Ky., Sept. 28.—Col. Jos. T. Tucker, aged eighty-three years, died at his home in this city this morning after a short illness. He was Lieutenant Colonel of the Eleventh Kentucky Confederate cavalry and when Col. Walter Chennault was killed in a charge at Green river bridge, Col. Tucker succeeded to the command of the regiment.

Senator James B. McCreary was

second in rank to him in the same regiment. He had been a leading lawyer here for a half century and had represented the county in the Legislature. He always a Democrat, there being at one time only six Democrats in Winchester, and he was one.

He leaves a widow, who was a daughter of Andrew Hood, a prominent physician and politician of the county, one son, Capt. Hood Tucker, and one daughter, Miss Nannie Tucker. He will be buried to-morrow under the auspices of the Confederate veterans.

Sharpsburg, Ky., Sept. 28.—Robert Lee, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Thompson, of Craig, this county, is dead of diphtheria, and there are several other cases. The school here has been closed on account of diphtheria.

Late reports from various of the stricken cities of the Gulf coast show that the tropical hurricane, which began last Wednesday and which still continues in several places, has done enormous damage to property and caused, probably, immense loss of life. Rough estimates place the property loss at Pensacola, Fla., \$5,000,000; at Mobile, \$3,000,000; at New Orleans, \$1,000,000, and at the other Gulf coast towns probably in excess of \$3,000,000. Accurate reports, however, as to the property damage and loss of life are not possible to obtain.

Boone County Recorder says: The negroes in Central Kentucky have quite a factor in the recent local option elections held there. They have enlisted on the side of temperance, and in several instances have settled the election.

Henry Watterson puts it well. He always puts it well. Introducing Mr. Bryan at Louisville a few days ago, the able Kentucky editor, who had always fought the leadership of the Nebraskan said: "There is but one paramount issue for the next presidential battle, and that is the rescue of the Government from the hands that have misused it and its restitution to the custody of the plain, but sovereign people."

That was the true point of Mrs. Bryan's speech on the South Carolina University campus yesterday. He emphasized the fact that the Democratic party has before it the task of restoring the Government to the hands that have misused it and its restitution to the custody of the plain, but sovereign people.

The subject of Government ownership of railroads was touched upon, and here Mr. Bryan showed forcibly the type of man he is. He distinctly declared that he was unalterably opposed to any further centralization of power in Washington, and that should the Government take control of the railroads, it should be by States, and each State should settle the question for itself. The national Government should take control of only a few trunk lines. When the speaker declared that he could only speak for himself, that he was governed only by his own judgment and his own conscience, and that no considerations of personal or party advantage, not even the prospect of the presidency itself, could induce him to express than what he sincerely believed, the crowd gave him a tremendous cheer.

An important element in the "paramount issue" is to put in the White House, above all things, a man—not a charlatan, not a hypocrite, not a tool, but a man. Such the South knows Mr. Bryan to be and it is following his leadership with confidence and with enthusiasm.

Central City, Ky., Sept. 27.—After having fatally shot his four-year-old playmate, Russell Malloy, with a rifle the two had found in a box in a stable, William Hangman, seven years old, tried to commit suicide this afternoon by cutting his throat with a small knife.

The two boys were always together, and this afternoon they discovered a rifle in the stable at the Malloy home. After they had examined it they were in the act of replacing it in the box when the trigger struck

a corner of the box and the gun was discharged. The bullet entered young Malloy's shoulder, breaking the collarbone.

He arose and tried to walk to his home, but after he had gone 100 feet he fell. Hangman picked him up and carried him the rest of the distance and then tried to stop the flow of blood with his hands, but was unsuccessful. He then started down the street in search of a physician, his hands streaming with the blood of his victim.

When finally he was told that his companion could not live he drew a knife from his pocket and tried to slash his throat, but he was prevented from doing himself serious injury. He said as he was being restrained: "If Russell is going to die I want to die, too."

Cuba now has a provisional government and Gov. Taft's plan for the restoration of peace and order in the island will hold public attention during the week. With the advent of the American troops, who have been directed to proceed to Cuba at the earliest possible moment, the first detachment landing in Havana next Saturday, it is expected that the work will be hurried along with the greatest expedition. In the meantime the official proclamation published by Gov. Taft will have reached nearly every point on the island and the whole Cuban people will have been informed that American intervention has come.

Dispatches from the gulf coast show that the storm caused more deaths than has been thought. In and near Mobile the number is 125, while eighteen are known to be dead in the vicinity of New Orleans. Property losses are also mounting higher, the damage to pine timber alone being placed at \$10,000,000.

In a Government report just issued the total number of pensioners in the United States is 855,971, or a decrease in the fiscal year ended June 30 of 43,509.

Gas in large quantities has been found in Lee county and it is believed that a good grade of oil will be found deeper. In other Kentucky fields there has been little doing during the last week.

Richmond, Ky., Sept. 28.—Nathan Tudor, a farmer, residing near Silver Creek, last night shot and killed his brother, Marion. The killing took place at the home of Mr. Tudor, where the dead man made his home. The trouble was said to have been over an insult offered Mrs. Tudor by Marion Tudor.

Tudor was arrested after the killing, and to Sheriff Broadus, who made the arrest, made the following statement: "My brother, who had been to Richmond to the circus, returned home, greatly under the influence of liquor. He no sooner entered the house than he insulted my wife by making indecent proposals to her. She ran out of the room and told me, when I immediately procured my gun and shot him dead." Tudor was not placed in jail being allowed a guard. The dead man was thirty-six years old and unmarried.

Ballot boxes have been purchased for all the counties where they have to be furnished. Some of the boxes were bought in Lexington and a lot in Louisville. The boxes for the mountainous or eastern section of the State are of the latest design in ballot-box making. They are of the regulation metal, but are self-adjustable. That is, they can be pressed down flat like an adjustable paper box for the shipment, but when ready for use they conform to all the requirements of an official ballot box. These ballot boxes will be shipped to the eastern counties with the ballots.

### State Primary News.

Entries for the State primary election are closed and the candidates now offering are as follows:

For United States Senator—James B. McCreary and J. C. W. Beckham. For Governor—S. W. Hager and N. B. Hays.

For Lieutenant Governor—South

Trimble.

For Attorney General—Lillard

Carter and J. K. Hendrick.

For Auditor—Henry M. Bosworth.

For Secretary of State—Hubert

Vreeland.

For Treasurer—Ruby Laffoon.

For Superintendent of Public In-

struction—E. A. Gullion and M. O. Winfrey.

For Commissioner of Agriculture—

R. C. Crenshaw and J. W. Newman.

For Clerk of Court of Appeals—J.

B. Chennault.

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## LAST OF HER TRIBE

"INDIAN LIZE," DECREPIT AND BLIND, WAITING FOR DEATH.

Last Survivor of the Calapooias Now Living at Brownsville, Ore.—Remembers Arrival of First White Settlers.

Albany, Ore.—"Indian Lize," the last of the Calapooias, a once powerful Indian tribe inhabiting those parts, resides in Brownsville, in this county. She does not know her own age, but says that she has a distinct remembrance of the coming of the white men and their first settlement in this county and valley. Even at that early date she was a grown woman and the square of one of the most powerful and important of the Calapooia tribesmen, having children (papoose) of her own.

Considering these facts, no doubt she is well along toward the century mark. Old, decrepit and blind, it is necessary to wait on her as if she were a child, it being necessary to prepare her meals and take them to her, place her in bed at nights and see that she does not get lost in endeavoring to follow some of the old trails in the neighborhood.

The county court of Linn county allows Mrs. H. M. Cushman four dollars a month as an allowance to assist her in caring for her, a task by no means easy or to be desired. The old Indian woman was born in Linn county, on the banks of the Calapooia river, near Crawfordville, where she spent her childhood days, never having left the scenes of her early life for any great length of time.

With her will pass away the last of the Calapooias, an Indian tribe that was always friendly to the whites, often assisting them in their warfare against other hostile tribes and chieftains. "Indian Lize" is the last of them and in her lonely existence there is much to excite the sympathy of the more fortunate ones. Without tongue, husband, children or tribesmen, she awaits the call to that "happy hunting ground" and that bourn to which her dear ones and her fathers have long ago preceded her. There is none of the life so dear to every child of the forest to beckon her, or children and loved ones to care for and protect her in her declining years.

The Calapooias for a long time were stationed on the Grand Ronde Indian reservation. At the close of the Rogue River Indian war Gen. Palmer was obliged to separate the 13 tribes at the agency on account of war and tribal hatred existing among themselves. Together with other tribes they were removed to the Siletz Indian reservation, from which place they annually would wander hither and thither, making pilgrimages to the valley towns, selling Indian baskets, gathering blackberries and working in the hop fields, so as to gather sufficient supplies for the winter's cold.

### TURKEYS COOK CHESTNUTS.

Drop Them in Charcoal Pit, Pull Them Out and Eat Hearty Meal.

Harrisburg, Pa.—Filled with an overwhelming spirit of gratitude for the protecting laws thrown around them by the state of Pennsylvania, game birds and animals which are now safe from pot hunters are showing their appreciation in a most amazing manner.

This is evidenced by the truthful reports coming from various points, and which are here set forth.

Near Blain, Perry county, Hiram Gibbs observed a flock of wild turkeys, carrying chestnuts, just now ripening to a charcoal pit and dropping them upon the hot coals.

Soon the nuts burst open, and the intelligent birds raked them out with their claws, carried the meaty chestnuts to a cleared spot, where, after cooling, the nuts were eaten with gusto.

Mr. Gibbs is convinced that the wild turkeys are doing their best to acquire a more delicious flavor, so that they will be highly appreciated by the sportsmen who are lucky enough to kill and eat them.

Hunters who have lived in Perry county more than 50 years say that at no time in their careers have they seen such a self-satisfying spirit shown by wild turkeys.

### CLAIMS HEART OF NEW YORK.

Iowa Woman Hopes to Become Possessor of Many Millions.

Des Moines, Ia.—Asserting that she is an heir of Robert Edwards, who in 1789 as landlord leased for a term of 99 years 62 acres in the very heart of the city of New York, Mrs. L. B. Brown, of this city, has begun an attempt to procure for herself her share of the property, now estimated to be worth \$312,000,000. The land is near Broadway and Wall street, and contains the famous Trinity church, the subtreasury and other valuable property.

It was leased first to Aaron Burr, and now that the 99-year lease has expired, the heirs hold that they are entitled to the property. Mrs. Brown estimates that her share will be worth \$4,000,000.

The Edwards estate has long attracted the attention of heirs in other states, and Mrs. Brown now proposes to have her share of the wealth. Mrs. Brown, who has proof that she is a direct descendant of Edwards, has retained local attorneys, and will make every effort to recover her property.

### Brief History of "Cuba Libre."

December 10, 1898—Relinquished by Spain through the signing of the treaty of Paris.

November 5, 1900—Convention meets to decide upon a constitution for the new republic.

February 21, 1901—Constitution adopted and the United States Congress passes a law authorizing the President of the United States to make over the island to its people.

June 21, 1901—Cuba accepts the conditions laid down by the Congress of the United States.

February 24, 1902—Thomas Estrada Palma is elected President.

May 20, 1902—Control of the island is formally transferred to the new Government.

December 27, 1903—Relations between Cuba and the United States made closer through the operation of the reciprocal commercial convention.

September 28, 1906—Secretary Taft declares armed intervention by the United States.

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If we are to win a victory and elect a President two years hence, we must first elect a House of Representatives this fall. A Democratic House can and will investigate every department of the Government with all of them honeycombed by "graft," the edges of which only have been touched by recent exposure and prosecutions, there will be a revelation of rottenness that will astound the country, and create a demand for a Democratic administration to clean the Government workshop.

To win the House we need money to defray legitimate expenses and to defray legitimate expenses and get out our vote. We have no protected monopolies from which to draw to fill our coffers, as they do those of the Republican party. We must, therefore, appeal to loyal Democrats for contributions.

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